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DJS		WO 98/18059	08-13-1998	Hyperion Catalysis International Inc.	Cover page attached; see U.S. Patent No. 5,866,434 for U.S. counterpart.
AEP		JP 05-126815	05-21-1993		English abstract attached
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